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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 10/621,533 Confirmation No. 2467
Applicant : Hans-Otto Schwarze
Filed : July 17, 2003
TC/A.U. : 3651
Examiner : James R. Bidwell

Docket No. : 03-413
Customer No. : 34704

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted responsive to the Official Action mailed May 12, 2004. The Official Action is a quayle action, and has a short and statutory period for response set to expire on July 12, 2004, said period having been extended in accordance with the accompanying Request for Extension of Time so as to expire on August 12, 2004.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 9 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.